If television programs weren't captioned, I would never watch TV. I know hearing impaired people who gave up their their TV sets years ago, before captioning became popular. Isolation is a problem for hard of hearing people, and TV captioning is a vital life line--news, entertainment, current events, sports. ALL programs should be captioned!! I'm always disappointed when I've looked forward to seeing a show and it's not captioned. Sometimes, a show that I know has been captioned won't display the text because of a glitch in the control room. Also, captioning controls are hard to find on some TV sets. Thank you for mandating captioned programs, and I hope you will continue to emphasize the importance of captioning.